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ANTICIPATED JOB OPENING

SEASONAL RESEARCH ASSISTANT

Department of Environmental Sciences

A Seasonal Research Assistant (CAES) position is available with the Soil Testing Laboratory and Invasive Aquatic Plant Program (IAPP). The position requires analyzing soil fertility and documenting vegetation in lakes and ponds. A background in the natural sciences is essential. The successful candidate will assist the principal investigator in soil testing and aquatic plant surveys. Additional responsibilities include processing soil reports, pressing, mounting, and cataloguing aquatic plants, and testing water. Outstanding interpersonal skills are needed for interacting with the public and CAES IAPP team. Must be comfortable working in the laboratory and in the field and possess a valid driver's license. Boating experience is preferred and the ability to swim is necessary for safety on the water. Candidates must be organized, detail oriented, self-motivated, and resourceful. Computer skills include MS Word, Excel, and PowerPoint. Experience with ArcGIS and webpage editing are a plus. The position is available from May through October 2021 but can be shortened to accommodate school schedules. The starting salary is \$13/hour for a 35-hour work week.

To apply, please send resume, cover letter, and transcripts to Greg Bugbee (Gregory.Bugbee@ct.gov).

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